

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

Applicant	: Gary R. Flauaus	Confirmation No: 7100
Appln. No.	: 10/716,858	Group Art Unit: 2143
Filed	: November 19, 2003	Examiner: Neurauter, George C.
Title	: METHOD OF DETECTING AND MONITORING FABRIC CONGESTION	Docket No. 233-538-USP

**REQUEST FOR CLARIFICATION REGARDING FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated April 3, 2008, please consider the following request for clarification as follows:

**Remarks** begin on page 2 of this paper.